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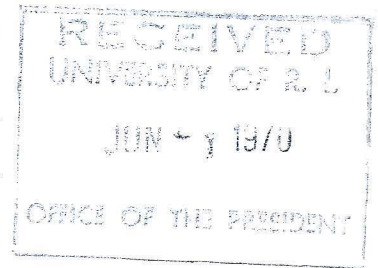
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UNIVERSITY OF RHODE ISLAND

FACULTY SENATE

BILL

Adopted by the Faculty Senate



TO: President Werner A. Baum

FROM: Chairman of the Faculty Senate

1. The Attached BILL, titled Referendum on Class Moratorium

is forwarded for your consideration.

2. The original and two copies for your use are included.

3. This BILL was adopted by vote of the Faculty Senate on May 21, 1970 (date).

4. After considering this bill, will you please indicate your approval or disapproval. Return the original or forward it to the Board of Trustees, completing the appropriate endorsement below.

5. In accordance with Section 8, paragraph 2 of the Senate's By-Laws, this bill will become effective on June 11, 1970 (date), three weeks after Senate approval, unless: (1) specific dates for implementation are written into the bill; (2) you return it disapproved; (3) you forward it to the Board of Trustees for their approval; or (4) the University Faculty petitions for a referendum. If the bill is forwarded to the Board of Trustees, it will not become effective until approved by the Board.

May 29, 1970
(date)

Nathan C. Trumble /s/
Chairman of the Faculty Senate

ENDORSEMENT 1.

TO: Chairman of the Faculty Senate

FROM: President of the University

1. Returned.

2. Approved ✓. Disapproved _____.

3. (If approved) In my opinion, transmittal to the Board of Trustees is not necessary.

6/1/70
(date)

Werner A. Baum /s/
President

ALTERNATE ENDORSEMENT 1.

TO: Chairman of the Board of Trustees.

FROM: The University President

1. Forwarded.

2. Approved.

(date) _____ President /s/

ENDORSEMENT 2.

TO: Chairman of the Faculty Senate

FROM: Chairman of the Board of Trustees, via the University President.

1. Forwarded.

(date) _____ /s/

(Office)

ENDORSEMENT 3.

TO: Chairman of the Faculty Senate

FROM: The University President

1. Forwarded from the Chairman of the Board of Trustees.

(date) _____ President /s/

Original received and forwarded to the Secretary of the Senate and Registrar for filing in the Archives of the University.

(date) _____ /s/
Chairman of the Faculty Senate

Moved that the Faculty Senate call upon the Student Senate and the Graduate Student Association and join with the latter two in the conduct of individual advisory referenda to determine the views of both the faculty and the students of the University, concerning the feasibility of having a moratorium on classes for the period of October 26, 1970, through November 3, 1970, so as to permit students to gain firsthand experience with the electoral process and with the understanding that this moratorium will not shorten the academic semester.

It is proposed that the referenda offer two options:

OPTION A. Operate the University according to the calendar as printed in the current catalog with the correction that Veteran's Day will not be on October 26 but rather on November 11.

OPTION B. Modify the Fall semester calendar as follows:

MORATORIUM ON CLASSES: 10/26-11/2, 1970

Original

Monday	10/26/70	Monday	10/12/70
Tuesday	10/27/70	Wednesday	11/11/70 ¹
Wednesday	10/28/70	Wednesday	12/23/70
Thursday	10/29/70	Monday	1/11/71
Friday	10/30/70	Tuesday	1/12/71
Monday	11/2/70	Wednesday	1/13/71
Mid Semester	11/7/70	Mid Semester	11/14/70

FINAL EXAMINATION PERIOD:

1/14/71 - 1/21/71 including Saturday 1/16/71.

LAST DAY FOR GRADES:

1/23/71 - Saturday 12:00 noon.

¹ 11:00 A.M., Classes cancelled for Memorial Services
1:00 P.M., Hold classes to replace 11:00 A.M.